IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, ANDHRA PRADESH
AT HYDERABAD

(Special Original Jurisdiction)

THURSDAY, THE SEVENTH DAY OF APRIL
TWO THOUSAND AND FIVE

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE D.S.R.VARMA

WRIT PETITION NO : 7578 of 2005

Between:

K. Raghunatha Reddy S/o. Sahadeva Reddy
D.No. 7/379-1, Bhagyanagar Colony, Cuddapah District.

..... PETITIONER

AND

1 The District Collector and Magistrate, Cuddapah, Cuddapah District.
2 The Mandal Revenue Officer, Chinnamandem Mandal, Cuddapah District.
3 The Superintendent of Police, Cuddapah, Cuddapah District.
4 The Principal Secretary for Home Affairs, Government of A.P.
Secretariat Buildings, Hyderabad.

.....RESPONDENTS

Petition under Article 226 of the constitution of India praying that in the circumstances stated in the Affidavit filed herein the High Court will be pleased to issue a writ order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Mandamus directing the respondents to sanction Arms Licence for Revolver to me forthwith, in the interest of Justice and pass such other order or orders as this Hon'ble Court may deem fit and proper in the circumstances of the case.

Counsel for the Petitioner: PARTY-IN-PERSON

Counsel for the Respondents: GP FOR HOME

The Court at the stage of admission made the following :

ORAL ORDER:

Heard both sides. Perused the material placed before me.

Petitioner seeks a direction to the respondents to issue arms licence for revolver to him.

Petitioner gives many a reason in the affidavit filed in support of the writ petition. It appears that he also made a representation to the first respondent in that regard, but so far no orders have been passed. Hence the present writ petition.

Having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, the respondents are directed to consider the representation said to have been made by the petitioner and pass appropriate and reasoned orders and communicate the same to the petitioner. However, if no application is pending, the petitioner is at liberty to make a fresh representation to the respondents, and on filing of any such representation, the respondents shall consider the same and dispose of in accordance with law, as expeditiously as possible.

With the above direction, the writ petition is disposed of at the stage of admission. No costs.

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To

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5 Two CCs to GP for Home, High Court buildings, Hyderabad.

6 Two CD copies.